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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

CONTROLLED BURN NEAR HIGHWAY 58 IN EASTERN SAN LUIS OBISPO COUNTY PLANNED FOR THIS WEEK

SAN LUIS OBISPO COUNTY – Caltrans will perform a controlled burn to reduce the amount of tumbleweeds within state property near Hwy. 58 between Branch Mountain Forestry Road and the Kern County line on Tuesday, Jan. 26 through Friday, Jan. 29 from 9 am until 2 pm, weather permitting.

Motorists will encounter one-way reversing traffic control with delays not to exceed 10 minutes.

Electronic message boards have been activated to advise the public about this road work conducted by the Caltrans Maintenance team from Templeton.

Cal Fire will be present to ensure the safety of highway workers and the public.

Caltrans reminds motorists to move over and slow down when driving through highway construction zones.

For traffic updates on other state highways in San Luis Obispo County, motorists can call Caltrans District 5 Public Affairs at 805-549-3318 or can visit the District 5 website at: http://www.dot.ca.gov/dist05/road_information.htm





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